

Inches Win And Lose Last Week

The Grayling Independents lost a close 57 to 56 game to Cheboygan here on Wednesday night of last week and bounced back to defeat the Essexville Merchants of Bay City by a 65 to 63 score on Saturday in the nightcap of a double-header at the local gym.

Cheboygan boast ing of a string of stars led by big Mike Hoben. Cheboygan High School coach had a tough fight all the way to defeat the Grayling quintet. Hoben with 27 points and Katsarski with 15 led the victors. scoring—Ed Smith with 18 points led Grayling's Attack with Ross Thompson and Jim Rutledge of Roscommon playing with Grayling adding 8 points each, Sandy Thompson 7, Bob Smock 5, Clyde Anthony, Howard Hatfield 4 each and Roger Giegling 2.

The Essexville-Merchants-with big Ken Norris slugging in 26 points and Ted Horn adding 14 came within a gnat's eyebrow of erasing a Grayling lead and grabbing the win.

Grayling led 40 to 33 at the half way mark and managed to score 25 points in the final half while the Bay City team tossed in 30. Ross Thompson with 17, Ed Smith with 16 and Ed Chalker with 14 led the local scoring threat. Rog Giegling added 8, Sandy Thompson 5, Clyde Anthony 4 to complete Grayling's scoring. Norris scored 21 of this total of 26 points during the last half to throw a real scare into the Grayling squad. Ed Smith made 10 of his total of 16 points in the final half to keep Grayling out in front. With Bay City trailing by only two points 61 to 63, Clyde Anthony sunk a field goal with seconds to go to give Grayling a four point lead. Bay City upon getting the ball worked for a two point basket as the game ended.

Grayling travels to Cheboygan tonight in an attempt to even the count with Hoben and company. In the opening game at the Grayling gym Saturday night Roscommon defeated the Aetna Cement team of Bay City by a 48 to 32 score to make it two straight for the Roscommon team over the Cement team.

UNITES READ FOR WILLIAM J. BIGHAM

William J. Bigham passed away at his home here on Sunday, February 25, after an illness of several months. Death was attributed to a stroke.

Services were to be held at the Free Methodist Church on Wednesday, February 28 at 2 P. M., with Rev. Herbert T. Sebree officiating. Interment will be at Elmwood Cemetery. Pallbearers were to be Oscar Charron, Albert Charron, Ray Murphy, Archie Lozon, Bert Plagens and Clyde Smith.

Mr. Bigham was born in Canada on March 5, 1870. He was the son of Ella M. Jorgensen in Huron County with her moved to Crawford County 47 years ago, residing in Maple Forest Township before moving to Grayling.

The deceased is survived by his wife, two daughters, Sylvia Wardlow of Saginaw and Erma Daly of Grayling, and three sons, John of Frederic, James of Maple Forest and Arthur of Kalamazoo.

LEE LEONARD PASSES ON

Rites were read Tuesday, February 27, at 2 P. M. at the Sorenson Funeral Home for Lee Leonard, aged 83, who passed away at Mercy Hospital last Saturday, after a six year illness and series of strokes. Rev. Herbert T. Sebree officiated and Rev. and Mrs. Sebree presented special music.

Pallbearers were Walter Ellington, Fred Niederer, Oscar Borchers, Roy McEvers and Nels Johnson.

Interment was in Elmwood Cemetery.

Mr. Leonard was born in Vassar, Michigan, in 1877 to John and Carrie Leonard. He attended Vassar High School and in 1901 married Myrtle Jeffers in Flint, Michigan. They lived in Flint and Saginaw before moving to Grayling. The couple had seven children, Mrs. George Embury of Battle Creek, and Carson and Harrison Leonard of Saginaw, who survive and four sons who preceded their father in death.

Also surviving are three brothers, Frank of Saginaw, and George and Fred of Flint, and a sister, Mrs. Leola Krohn of Saginaw and seven grandchildren.

NOTICE

There will be a meeting of the graduate registered nurses of the district at the Nurses Home, Monday, March 5 at eight o'clock in the evening. A good program is promised.

WHAT - WHERE - WHEN

March 2nd—Friday at 8:30 P. M. Grayling Chapter, No. 83. O. E. S. are invited to be the guests of the Fidelity Chapter, No. 50, at Roscommon. Initiation by officers of Grand Chapter.

March 2nd—Matilda Bauman Circle. Potluck. Promptly at 1 P. M.

March 5th—District Reg. Nurses meeting. Nurses Home, 8:00 P. M.

March 8th—Missionary Ladies of Calvary Baptist Church at Mrs. Joe Bielski's, 208 State St.

March 8th—Hospital-Aid-Nurses Home. Mrs. John Brady and Mrs. C. J. McNamara hostesses.

March 15th—Recital. High School. Pupils of Mrs. June Taylor.

March 20th—Home Ex. G. S. Mrs. Elmer Roscommon.

March 20th—Woman's Club Style show, and entertainment. Rialto Theater.

Hold Rites For Traffic Victim

Funeral services for Alfred John Galloway of near Grayling were held Friday afternoon from the Sorenson Funeral Home. Mr. Galloway who was 72 years of age was killed Tuesday night when he was hit by a truck while walking on US 27 south of Grayling.

Rev. R. C. Puffer officiated at the services and interment was in the Corwith Cemetery at Vanderbilt. Serving as pallbearers were Algot Johnson, A. J. Nelson, Herbert Ferguson, William Ferguson, George Bielski and William Fairbotham.

He was born in Owosso on March 5, 1878. With his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Galloway, he moved to Vanderbilt where his parents homesteaded. He also resided at Blue Lake before coming to Grayling about 33 years ago.

On Sept. 30, 1903, he married the former Miss Mary Beals at Vanderbilt. He was employed at one time at the KERRY and Hanson Flooring Co. mill here before moving to a farm near the Beaver Creek township line several years ago.

Surviving are his widow; six children, Mrs. Elsie Denno, Alfred, Jr., and Clarence, all of Grayling, Thomas of Flint, Frank of Beaver Creek township, Crawford county, and John of Flint, 19 grand-children, two great-grandchildren, one sister, Mrs. Martha Bailey, of New York, and three brothers, Thomas of Midland, John, of Clare, and William of New York. Crawford County Sheriff William Golinick and County Coroner Alfred Sorenson who investigated the fatal traffic mishap said the truck was driven by Stanley Dimbroski of Cheboygan.

The officers said that Galloway, who was known to have poor eyesight, was walking near the center of the highway when struck. Dimbroski, who was driving a large truck and trailer, said he saw a man near the center of the road and swerved sharply in an attempt to avoid striking him. However, Galloway was struck with the left side of the trailer and fatally hurt.

Ladies Meet At M. M. Church

Tuesday evening, February 20th, approximately seventy women met at the parlors of Michelson Memorial Church, it being "Week of Dedication." It also was the regular meeting of the Mary Martha Circle of W.S.C.S.

Before a white-draped altar bearing the cross and lighted tapers, the meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Ernest Larson.

Singing "Old Rugged Cross." Devotions—Timothy II. 1st Chapter 6 to 10 verses.

Jesus Abolished Death, taken from "There Is No Death," by Joseph Fort Newton.

—Miss Florence Butler. Solo—"Fear Ye Not O Israel," —Mrs. Floyd Taylor.

Business meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Long donated to the Aid for the kitchen two large iron skillets and a large aluminum roaster.

Review of First Chapter of Book, "We Seek Him Together," Mrs. Clarence Parrish.

Several hymns were sung in unison led by Mrs. Clarence Parrish and accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Floyd Taylor.

Rev. and Mrs. Taylor gave a very inspiring and helpful talk after which the group formed a circle from the arms of the cross, while Mrs. Parrish sang "O Jesus I Have Promised."

Closing prayer, Rev. Puffer. Lunch was served in the dining room at individual tables. Committee: Mrs. Herbert Stephan, Mrs. Carl Larson, Mrs. R. C. Puffer, Mrs. Robert Funk, Mrs. Floyd Taylor and Mrs. Forsyth Barber.

Mrs. Harley Russell, Sec.

Frederic News

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Graham of Petoskey spent last Thursday in town visiting relatives.

Capt. Robert and Mrs. Leng of Ashtabula, Ohio, spent the week end with his brother, the Bill Lengs.

One of Bill Lengs cars was found on fire Friday morning in a snow bank east of his home. The other the State Police got near Traverse City last Friday afternoon. They were both stolen from his home on Thursday night.

Mrs. Roy Newberry has gone to Dayton, Ohio, to visit her daughter, the Elder Merle Howards (Betty). Mrs. Newberry's mother, Mrs. N. Demary of Bentley is here while she is gone.

Miss Alma Weaver and her friend, Robert Mitchell of Detroit spent the week end here with her parents, the Otis Weavers.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman LaVack and children of Midland are here visiting their daughter, the Raymond Weavers.

Our sympathy goes out to the family of William Bigham in their sorrow and late bereavement.

About 150 friends and relatives had a silver wedding anniversary party here at Town Hall last Saturday night for Mr. and Mrs. Roy McEvers of Grayling.

This is the last week of revivals being held here by Rev. L. Hall with Rev. Charles Boren the evangelist.

Supervisors To Meet Here

The Second District Supervisors Association is meeting at the Crawford County Court House today, March 1.

There is to be a speaker who will talk on civilian defense and Harry Aldrich of the Conservation Department. Roscommon, will speak or show movies.

MRS. MICKELSON LAD TO REST

Mrs. Mary Mickelson, 72, died in the Ingham tuberculosis sanatorium Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 20. She was stricken with a heart attack. Mrs. Mickelson had entered the sanatorium in December for a checkup. She first went to the tuberculosis hospital in 1947. She regained her health to the extent that she was able to spend most of last year with her daughter, Frances, at Grayling.

Except for the last year at Grayling and for the time spent in the sanatorium Mrs. Mickelson had resided in Mason since 1900 when she went as the bride of the late Carl P. Mickelson. He was engaged in the lumber and hardware business for many years. He died in 1937.

Mrs. Mickelson was born in Caro June 15, 1878, the daughter of John W. Staley and Mary Wilson Staley. Nine years later the family moved to Grayling. Following graduation from the Grayling school Mrs. Mickelson studied music at Ackley Hall in Grand Haven and Peck's Music School in New York. While studying in New York Mrs. Mickelson sang in churches there. She also became a member of the Episcopal church.

In 1900 Mr. and Mrs. Mickelson were married in Detroit. They made their home in Mason where both were active in business and social affairs for many years.

For years Mrs. Mickelson was active in the Presbyterian Women's association.

Mrs. Mickelson is survived by one daughter, Frances, of Grayling, a sister, Mrs. Maude Haugh of Mason, and a niece, Mrs. Henry Sanger of Birmingham.

Funeral services were held at two o'clock Thursday afternoon at the Ball funeral home. Burial was in Maple Grove. Rev. Richard O. Peterson of St. Paul's Episcopal church of Lansing officiated. Honorary pallbearers were L. R. White and Adam Snyder of Mason, P. K. Woodhouse of Lansing and Holger Hanson of Ypsilanti.

Pallbearers were Russell McBride, W. O. Hall, John Dart, Nelson Brown, William Porter and Emil Niederer.

Attending the rites from Grayling besides Miss Mickelson were Mr. and Mrs. Emil Niederer and Mrs. Jeraldine Johnson.

Plan Series Of Health Broadcasts

A series of health education programs for grade school children and their parents will be broadcast over the Paul Bunyan network each Wednesday at 10:30 A. M. during March and April, presented by the Community Service Program in the Grand Traverse Area, sponsored by the Kellogg Foundation. School children from twenty three counties will listen from their classrooms.

Children from the fifth and sixth grades will participate in the broadcasts which are designed to teach the basic principles of health, and will be used by the teachers and parents for further instruction.

Lewis W. Knaggs, Traverse City, chairman of the Radio Health Education committee, announced that the following topics will be discussed on successive dates:

Your County Public Health Department, Wednesday, March 7.

Why We Need a Balanced Diet, Wednesday, March 14.

Sleep and Rest, Wednesday, March 21.

Importance of Good Vision, Wednesday, April 4.

Care of the Teeth, Wednesday, April 11.

Cleanliness, Wednesday, April 18.

Swimming and Water Safety, Wednesday, April 25.

Mrs. Ella Walmsley and daughter, Audrey Jean, spent some time in Tampa, Florida "While there they called on" Ry Knapp Corwin.

RED CROSS

"Mom, I'm in Texas—just flew in from Japan." Cpl. Bob Cronin's free phone call has been put through by the Red Cross hospital worker at his bedside, and the wounded Korean veteran enjoys a happy "reunion" with his mother in Hastings, Neb. Wounded down to Oakland Air Force Base, Texas, are back by the Red Cross, official welfare agency of the armed forces, which provides many services for the evacuees at their first Stateside stop. The Red Cross free phone call rates tops with these men.

Annual Red Cross Fund Drive

Opens Today With \$1,632 Quota

quotas have been substantially raised all over the country. In view of present world conditions, the raising of the quota is of a dire necessity, Director Burns stated.

In connection with the drive, it was announced that a program to save life giving blood plasma had been set up for Crawford County. The program would insure blood plasma and fractions to every Crawford County person who needed it. The program deserves the whole hearted support of our entire county, Red Cross officials said.

The plasma and fractions supply of this community is dangerously low. Only 3 units are now left in the county supply. Only the recruitment of an adequate number of volunteer blood donors can replenish the supply.

Blood plasma and fractions, unlike sulfa, penicillin and other wonder drugs, cannot be manufactured from crude chemicals. They must be made from blood.

The County Medical Society has made arrangements for collection of blood in Crawford County. The local chapter of the American Red Cross will recruit donors and assist at the clinic.

The State of Michigan Health Department's Mobile Unit will be in Grayling in connection with the Red Cross on April 9 and 10. It has been announced by Mrs. Eugene Papendick, recruiting chairman. The place and time will be announced later.

The amount of plasma and fractions which will be available to treat county people during the coming year will depend entirely on the number of donors giving blood at this time. The first 24 units are to be sent to Korea for use in the armed forces.

Plan now to register and donate a pint of blood. Ask your friends and your club members to do the same. Register by calling 4781 or by dropping a penny card to Mrs. Leo Jorgensen, 407 Maple Street, Grayling.

State Library Inspected by Nation's Trouble Shooter

Mr. Alvin W. Kremer, Keeper of the connections for the Library of Congress, reported late last week to library officials on the condition of the Michigan State Library, following the disastrous Lansing fire.

Mr. Kremer who is responsible for the Library of Congress' preservation program and is also a trouble shooter in cases of library disasters, said that Michigan State Library faces a very grave situation. In his 29 years with the Library of Congress, he has never known of an instance where there has been such extensive water damage, not even during the flood years of the 30's.

"Literally tons of water poured through book stacks. Tens of thousands of books, documents, etc. are seriously affected. The entire collection of 1/2 million books is subject to very high moisture level, the atmosphere ranging from 80 to 100 percent humidity."

The Library of Congress expert went on to say that many of the volumes are beyond redemption and all volumes must be under constant surveillance for buckling, mold and general deterioration. "Trying to protect 500,000 books is like having 500,000 problems. Each book requires individual treatment. The workmen and library staff are working under mean conditions. It is damp, chilly and gloomy."

"It is a great risk leaving the books where they are," the trouble shooter from the Library of Congress went on to say, "But it is a greater risk to attempt to move all the books at this time. Right now it is important to try to dry the books on the shelves by several procedures; such as the immediate installation of dehumidifying equipment, immediate removal of the thousands of water-logged books, etc. Furthermore, if the main stacks could be walled off by tarpaulins and fans set up in the stack area to supplement the emergency measures, the possibilities are that many volumes could be saved. These measures would control the atmosphere to some extent."

Mr. Kremer concluded his report to Mrs. Leola D. Fyan, State Librarian, by saying that Michigan State Library is doing everything possible to protect the books and give all of them proper treatment. The "Boys' Vocational School Field House is excellent for drying purposes as there the humidity can be controlled, and the bleachers would hold up to 25,000 volumes. "It is impossible at this time to even attempt to estimate the damage in dollars and cents. Six months to a year from now, an estimate could be made. Certainly no one knows now what the future holds for Michigan State Library in its effort to save as many books, documents and important records."

Mrs. Fyan is asking that anyone having Michigan State Library or Law/Library material out, to please hold it until after March 1st. After this time, the date for returning material will be announced. Also, all requests for information and books have been canceled until after March 1st.

Users of Michigan State Library are asked to request material after March 1st. For the time being, temporary headquarters for the Michigan State Library is the State Law Library in the Capitol, Lansing.

Lutheran Sunday School Enjoys Sleigh Ride

The Sunday school children of the Grayling Lutheran Church enjoyed their annual sleigh ride party, February 18th. Promptly at 2 o'clock Mr. Len Isenbauer stopped at Danebod Hall and the first group were bundled in and taken for an hour's ride, after which they came back to Danebod Hall and enjoyed hot dogs and hot chocolate prepared by Mrs. Clara Sales, Mrs. Clara Sorenson and Mrs. Laura McLeod. The second group enjoyed an hour's ride and then enjoyed the same treat. Rev. Enselmann chaperoned the children.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Demonic of Frederic are happy over the arrival of a baby daughter at Grayling Mercy Hospital on February 27.

Our Weather

(Courtesy Fish Hatchery)

Feb. High Low

20 39 30

21 38 30

22 37 30

23 37 26

24 46 25

25 45 25

26 45 25

(Courtesy George Schable)

Feb. Amt. snow, sleet, hail or ice per 24 hrs. at time of obs. On gdr. at obs.

20 0 28"

21 0 27"

22 0 26"

23 0 24"

24 0 22"

25 0 21"

26 0 18"

34" fall on 26th.

Vikings Trip Roscommon, 43-21, Meet Gaylord In Tournament

gain .500 Mark In Loop Play

The Grayling Vikings were the easy winners in the basketball game played at Roscommon last Friday. With the Vikings holding at 21 to 8 lead at half time Coach Smith was able to use his substitutes freely in the remainder of the game as Roscommon proved to be no match for sharp shooting Viking regulars. The final score was Grayling 43, Roscommon 21.

Wilfred Laurent led the Vikings with 12 points with Duane Worden, Jim McClain adding 9, Jim Burch 6, Bill Worden 3 and Elery Horning 2. Other Vikings who got in the game but were unable to score were Duane Sloan, Bob Sunday and Terry Hilton. Murphy led the losers with 5 points.

The Viking reserves had a bad evening as they were beaten 27 to 21. The little Vikings stayed in the ball game until the third quarter when they saw Roscommon pull out in front 19 to 12, then coasted to the victory as the little Vikings were not up to their usual game.

Pigley led the victors with 11 points. Owen and Kessel scored 7 for the little Vikings. Luckstead 4, Bielski 2 and Joslyn 1.

Wednesday night the Vikings meet Gaylord in the first round of Class "C" tournaments held at Gaylord. The game should be very close as Gaylord has beaten the Vikings twice this season by 6 and 5 points respectively. The Vikings will be out to avenge those defeats Wednesday night.

The finals to be held Saturday night with Alpena Catholic Central meeting Wednesday night's winner.

The final North Central Class C Conference standings,

W. L.

Kalkaska 6 2

Houghton Lake 5 3

Lake City 4 3

Grayling 4 4

Roscommon 0 7

Lake City-Roscommon game was postponed.

3 File For City Council

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Griffith-Baker Wed At M. M. Church

Mrs. Frances J. Griffith and Kenneth H. Baker exchanged marriage vows at Michelson Memorial Church on Saturday, February 24 at 8 o'clock in the evening. Rev. R. C. Puffer officiated in the presence of a few friends and relatives.

The couple was attended by Mrs. Norma Gust and Roland McGuer.

Barthlow-Anderson Speak Vows

Adelene Barthlow of Roscommon became the bride of Harold Anderson of Cadillac in vows spoken at the Michelson Memorial Church parsonage at 11:00 A. M. on Saturday, February 24. Rev. R. C. Puffer officiated.

Mrs. R. C. Puffer and Mrs. Gene Cornwall witnessed the ceremony.

St. Francis Episcopal Guild Holds Services

Services were held Wednesday evening, February 28 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Niederer. Flowers for the altar were in memory of Mrs. Hurl Deckrow's mother, Mrs. Pauline Miller. Rev. Warner L. Forsythe was in charge of the service which was followed by an open discussion.

Refreshments were served later with Mrs. E. N. Darveau assisting Mrs. Niederer.

Rev. and Mrs. Forsythe were over night guests at the Niederer home.

Among those admitted to the Grayling Mercy Hospital this week for treatment were August Dembeck, A. M. Lewis, Gary Quinn, son of the George Quinns and Norma Jean Trudeau, daughter of

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WANT ADS

TELEPHONE 3111

RATES—Advertisements in this department cost 35 cents for 25 words or less for each insertion. For more than 25 words one cent a word for each insertion. Rates for display advertising in the classified columns on application. Orders by mail should be accompanied by cash or postage stamps. An extra charge of 10c will be made for blind ads and if it is necessary to bill for an advertisement that has been changed.

The Want Ad Department closes for each week's edition at noon on Tuesday.

ELECTRIC AND ACETYLENE WELDING—Of all kinds. Can handle most any job. Knibbs Service Station. Phone 2161. 12-7 tf

HANDSAW FILING—Any kind, also knives, axes, draw knives, planes, shears, chisels or anything you have to sharpen. Ed Bowen, 704 Ionio. Phone 4341. 7-24 tf

FOR NEW BUILDING, alterations or repairs, foundation to roof, fireplaces, chimneys, tile floors laid. Nelson S. Wyman, Grayling. Phone 4531 or call Martin's Hi-Speed. 1-19 tf

FRANK'S PLUMBING SHOP—8 miles north of Roscommon on old US-27. Free estimates. Plumbing material and fixtures. Goulds pumps. Briggs Beauty Ware. Frank L. Millikin, Route 1, Roscommon, Mich. 6-8tf

PROMPT SERVICE on all makes, commercial or domestic refrigeration. Leave orders, E. Lozon, at 704 Spruce St. 6-15 tf

BEST PRICES on wall and floor tile and linoleum. Northern Michigan Tile Co., Kalkaska. 5-18 tf

WANTED—Sewing machine repair work. We can supply parts for all makes of machines and vacuum cleaners. All work guaranteed. Leave orders at Avalanche. 12-14-12 tf

PHOTO FINISHING—Eight exposure roll films developed. One print each 35 cents; 12 exposures 45 cents; 16 exposures 60 cents. Reprints 4 cents each. Main film and color to Cherryland Photo Finishers, Box 512, Traverse City, Mich. st. 4-27

WANTED—Sewing, alterations. Hunting and work clothes mended. Have those worn collars, turned. Machine made button holes. Also baby sitting. Ph. 4397. Mrs. Kemp, 200 Peninsular, City. 10-26 tf

"FLUFF - DRY"—America's Biggest Laundry Bargain! Priced at: 15c lb. for first 11 lbs.; 13c lb. for second 11 lbs.; 11c lb. for third 11 lbs.; 10c lb. for all over 33 lbs. Grayling Laundry and Dry Cleaners. 4-1-51

PAPER TABLE CLOTH—300 ft. roll \$3.25. Avalanche Office. tf

FOR SALE—36x60 cement block bldg. with 12 ft. overhead door, used as warehouse at present. Large lot, room to expand. Cheap. Located at 112 Vilas St.; also 12 room house, full basement, 2 car garage attached. Taxi business and cabs. A good living. Inquire F. P. Decker. 2-1 tf

UNFURNISHED HOUSE WANTED TO RENT—By railroad man. needs 2 or 3 bedrooms. Dial 4286. 1

Houses - Houses - Houses We have them. All types, all sizes, all prices. In City or outside.

Ari Clough, Broker 500 McClellan Phone 4741

LEO E. LOVELY Salesman 506 Elm Phone 3911

HOUSE FOR SALE—Nine rooms and bath (four bedrooms), full basement, stoker steam heat. Garage. Priced right for quick sale. 608 Spruce St., City. Phone 4246. 2-15 tf

FOR SALE—1931 four door Buick sedan, 8 cylinder. Charles W. Decker, 406 Chestnut St. 1

DO YOU NEED WORK?—Do you need work done. Contact Mrs. Minnie Hartley, Homecraft Shop. US-27. Phone 2521. 1-8-15-22

FOR SALE—1931, 4 door Buick sedan, eight-cylinder. Charles W. Decker, 406 Chestnut Street, City. 1

FOR SALE—Very nice 6 room home on Railroad Reserve. Ready for occupancy. Reasonable. Don Weaver, Grayling. 3-1 tf

MALE OFFICE HELP WANTED—Must type and handle general office work. Interview, Phone Ted Houseman at 3991 or 4736. 1

FOR SALE—Thayer baby buggy, small table and kitchen cabinet. City lot 60x120 ft. Wes Dunham. Phone 3771. 1

FOR SALE—Mahogany dining room suite, including buffet and china cabinet. Mrs. Francis Wilcox. Inquire 564 Maple City. 1

"ALASKAN" Strain chicks for Michigan climate. Bred for heavy egg production. One extra dozen eggs pays the entire chick cost. Customers reported the first two weeks livability in 1950 on 50,214 chicks was 97.7%. Plaque awarded by M.S.P.I. Assoc. for outstanding achievement. Send \$1.00 per 100 chicks deposit and specify date wanted. Sterling Poultry Farm and Hatchery, Sterling, Michigan. 3-1-51 tf

For Rent
Lost or Found
For Sale
Wanted to Buy
Miscellaneous

REFRIGERATOR MOTOR FOR SALE—In good condition. \$5.00. Mrs. Joe Gardopce, c/o Roy Scott's Bar, Lovell. 1

HOUSE FOR SALE — \$750.00. Apply Chuck's Grill, US-27. 1

LEGAL NOTICES

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling in said County, on the 26th day of February, 1951.

Present: Hon. Ray F. Clement, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Grace A. Schumann, deceased.

Carl J. Bauer, Jr., having filed in said Court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is Ordered, that the 26th day of March 1951, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

Ray F. Clement, Judge of Probate.

A true copy.

Ray F. Clement, Judge of Probate. 1-8-15-22

NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE OF BIDS

The City of Grayling will accept sealed bids for one truck. G.V.W. 6800 lbs. and light duty maintenance body. Detail specifications at City Office up to 4:00 P. M. on March 5th, 1951. All bids must be in writing signed by the bidder and filed with the City Clerk. Specifications can be obtained from the Clerk. Said bids will be opened and considered by the Council of said City at 8:00 P. M. on March 5th, 1951. The right to accept or reject any or all bids is reserved.

By Max Davenport, City Clerk.

APPLICATIONS FOR POLICE POST

The City of Grayling will receive applications for the position of night policeman until Monday, March 5, 1951. Anyone interested please leave your written application at the City Office.

Max Davenport, City Clerk.

HOME EX. GROUP 3

The group met on February 22 at the home of Mrs. Glen Fenton. The lesson on pattern alteration was given by the hostess and Mrs. Carl Richardson.

Mrs. C. E. Johnson is a new member.

Cherry pie was served in honor of the day. Mrs. Fenton was assisted by Mrs. Richardson and Mrs. Al Staford.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Einer Rasmussen on March 29.

Legal Notice of Application to

Michigan Public Service Commission

by the Union Telephone Company

For authority to make effective certain schedules of rates, rentals, and charges for telephone service and facilities furnished in the exchange service area or areas as shown below. Notice is hereby given in accordance with Public Act 206, of 1913, that application for authority to file increased rates will be presented to Michigan Public Service Commission in the City of Lansing on the 9th day of March, 1951. The applicant will at that time request the Commission to set a date for hearing. (Sufficient advance notice of the hearing date will be given by the Michigan Public Service Commission to local public authorities to permit interested persons to attend the hearing.) The present rates and the proposed rates to be applied for, by classes of service, are set forth below:

MONTHLY EXCHANGE RATES (Excluding Federal Tax)

GRAYLING AUTOMATIC EXCHANGE

CLASS OF SERVICE

BUSINESS (Within Base Rate Area)

1 Party \$5.00 37.25
2 Party 4.50* 32.50
Extension 1.00 6.25
Joint User (1 Party) 1.75 2.50
PBX Trunk 7.50 11.00
Joint User PBX Trunk 2.50 3.75

RESIDENCE (Within Base Rate Area)

1 Party 3.50 4.49
4 Party 2.75 3.55
Extension .75 .75

RURAL MULTI-PARTY (Outside Base Rate Area)

Business 4.00 5.25
Business Extension 1.00 1.25
Residence 2.50 3.60
Residence Extension .75 .75

SERVICE STATIONS

1.75 1.25

*Applies only until such time as facilities are adequate to provide one-party line service at which time it is proposed to reclassify two-party line business stations to one-party line business stations.

Seasonal Service—The present minimum charge of eight times the monthly rental for four months service will be continued.

All other rates, charges and regulations remain as presently on file with the Michigan Public Service Commission.

UNION TELEPHONE COMPANY

COUNTY NEWS

Captain Bob Leng and wife from Ashtabula, Ohio are visiting their brothers families, Bill and Ace Leng in Frederic. Hans and Lefty are now waiting their call on the Lakes.

Spring is near after hearing of one robin being seen and Charley and Millie each report hearing the music of the frogs on the same date, you just can't deny it.

Among the week end visitors in Frederic were Jack Dunkley, Warren, Carl and Jack Horner from Walled Lake. While here Jack traded cars with Bill Leng.

Saturday and Sunday the Lances enjoyed the company of Ray and Eva Horner, Guy Roby and Ursula Cox of Frederic, Wes Atkinson and Jim Grubbaugh. Al and Hlene Nemetz of Alma, also Belva and Arthur Babcock of Lewiston.

Belva celebrated her birthday, the time was spent in playing cards, dancing and pool. Also several lunches. If we had known you were coming we would have baked a cake for Belva.

Barney Sajdak was called to Detroit on account of his mother being sick, Friday night.

P. T. A. meeting was held at the F. H. S. Monday night.

We are sorry to hear of the death of Wm. Bigham, who passed away Sunday night. The entire family has our deepest sympathy.

William has been in the hospital for some time and was a very patient and lovely person.

The Hinkles attended the Table Top meeting at Wolverine Monday afternoon.

Richard Sajdak from the AuSable Hotel celebrated his 18th birthday Saturday. His "Mom" baked his favorite birthday cake and cooked all the goodies to go with it and many friends were present to sing happy birthday to Richard.

Kate Harmer is still in the Grayling Hospital. Hurry home Kate. We miss you.

Roy McEver's wife and Grayling were the guests of honor at a party put on by the Madills and Johnsons at the Frederic Town Hall, Saturday night. It was Roy's 25th wedding anniversary and such a nice time was had by all.

Among those in Frederic having the flu during the past week were the Madill children and Guy Roby. We sure hope they are all better.

Don Wilson, who is employed in Detroit was home for the week end.

The Shuffleboard teams are busy. Friday night Hinkles team won over Barneys. Thursday night our ladies will play at Bob Legner's, Sunday "Pops" team from Waters are challenging Marys team at Mary's AuSable Hotel in Frederic.

Next in sports comes the basketball team. Frederic plays Hillmans at 7:55 on Wednesday at Gaylon.

Frederic fishermen have been busy the past couple days removing fish shanties from the lakes as the weather has moderated.

North Branch

Dr. and Mrs. J. O. Goodsell, their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. David O. Eming and son were at their cabin, "Jog-in" for the week end.

There have been several cabin owners up north these past two week ends to look their property over, in case they can get in, because of the snow.

The extreme cold weather has kept the school children home several days.

Birthday greetings go to Mrs. Art O'Connor, whose birthday was February 10. Happy birthday Gladys. The community spent the evening at the Jackson O'Connor home on Saturday.

Only 10 days left to get your bargains at Olson's.

Happy birthday also to Barbara

Johnson, whose birthday was February 20.

Al and Julie Pochelon were week end guests of Chuck and Josephine Morley last week end. They all attended the basketball game in Grayling on Friday evening.

Mrs. Clayton Kellogg was happy to have as her guest last week, her friend, Miss Elizabeth Green.

Miss Green has been a missionary to the South American Indians. Amazon Valley, Bolivia, for the past five years. Miss Green and the Kelloggs were dinner guests of the Olsons at Lovells on Wednesday and later Miss Green showed her slides at the Olson home also at Grayling on Thursday evening. On Thursday Mrs. Kellogg entertained Mrs. Harold Johnson, Mrs. Carl Doyle and Mrs. Kuisel. On Saturday afternoon Miss Green attended the Heart O' The North Bible Conference and spoke at the afternoon session. Those who were privileged to hear Miss Green received

a real blessing. The conference was well attended, with four churches being represented. On Saturday Miss Green went to Pontiac and expects to return to Bolivia in June.

Maple Forest

Mrs. Hoffman called at the Arthur Howse home on Sunday.

The Home Extension Club met at the home of Mrs. Harold Moon last Tuesday. Nine members were present. The leaders gave a lesson on altering dress patterns to fit the individual. The club plans to send a collection of old Christmas and greeting cards to the United Cerebral Palsy Association. If you have cards which you wish to dispose of please give them to any club member before the next meeting. Our next meeting will be on March 6 and will be at the home of Mrs. Roy Johnson.

The Vaughn Weaver family left

Sunday to attend the funeral of his uncle, Harry Hartline of Buchanan. They will spend a few days visiting relatives and friends there.

Arthur Howse has a new Dodge, purchased from Bill Leng.

Jean Feldhauser spent the week end with her parents.

The T. N. T. party at the Town

Hall was well attended and a good time was had by all.

The John Petersen family spent the week end with his sister, Martha Petersen. Mrs. Petersen's Aunt, Alma accompanied them to visit her sister at Frederic.

Mrs. Barbara Howse and son spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents at Johannesburg.

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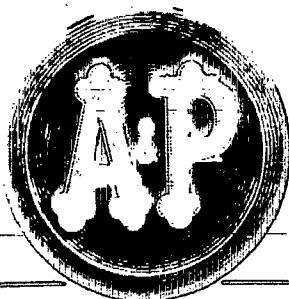
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Bib Orange Juice For Babies 3 4-oz. cans 29c

Royal Gelatin Desserts 3 pkgs. 23c

Ionan Apricots Unpooled Malvos No. 2 1/2 can 25c

Grapefruit Sections No. 2 can 21c

Sliced Pie Apples Comstock No. 2 can 21c

Kraft Dinner 2 pkgs. 27c

Egg Noodles Ann Page lb. pkg. 27c

Mackerel lb. can 19c

Sardines In Oil 3 3 1/2-oz. cans 25c

Sultana Kidney Beans 2 16-oz. cans 19c

Larsen's Veg-All No. 203 can 16c

A&P Sauerkraut 2 No. 2 1/2 cans 25c

Mushroom Soup Campbell's 2 11-oz. cans 32c

Hekman Saltines 4-in-1 Pack 16-oz. pkg. 26c

Corned Beef Hash Broadcast 16-oz. can 35c

Dux, Tide or Dreft large pkg. 32c

Marvel White Bread 20-oz. loaf 16c

French Bread Rolls Brown'n-Serve pkg. 18c

Hot Cross Buns pkg. of 10 33c

Angel Food Cake large ring 55c

Milk Bread 20-oz. loaf 19c

Sharp Bones Cured

Cheddar Cheese lb. 66c

Pabst-Ett Plain or Pimento 6 1/2-oz. pkg. 30c

Frankenmuth Cheese lb. 60c

Colby Cheese lb. 58c

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Cashew Nuts Regalo Brand, Salted 6 oz. 29c

Dates Fresh California 1-lb. tray 33c

Walnuts Large Diamond Brand lb. 44c

Small, Lean

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lb. 47c

Fancy, Oven-Ready, Rocks

FRYING CHICKENS

lb. 61c

Fresh Lake Whitefish

SMELT

2 lbs. 29c

Chuck Roast Best Cuts, Stew Beef lb. 77c

Cooked Ham Super-Right, Shank Portion lb. 61c

Pork Sausage 1-lb. Cello Roll lb. 47c

Ground Beef Lean, Fresh Chopped lb. 69c

Stewing Fowl Fresh, Pan-Ready, Rocks lb. 64c

Sliced Bacon All Good, 1-lb. Cello Pkg. lb. 57c

Pork Liver Sliced or Piece lb. 39c

Pork Loin Roast Full 7-lb. End Cut lb. 45c

Mackerel Fancy Round lb. 29c

Shrimp Large, A Super Value lb. 69c

Whitefish Fancy, Winter Caught lb. 58c

Pollock Fillets No Bones, No Waste lb. 25c

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Grayling, Michigan, Thursday, March 1, 1951

Man Power Problem

"The relatively low proportion of front-line power in the U. S. military forces is attracting more and more attention," says an article in U. S. News & World Report. "Congress is on the warpath over it. Congressmen want to know why more divisions cannot be made up of messengers, chauffeurs who drive generals, coal shovelers, men in service units of one kind or another. Members of Congress are beginning to ask whether the armed services are wasting man power while demanding more of it."

The crux of the problem can be expressed with a single set of figures. In the Soviet army, there are nine men in supporting jobs for every 10 men in combat divisions. In the American army, by contrast, 26 men are now used in support units for each 10 men in combat divisions. Proportionately, in other words, the Russians have a lot more gun-carriers than we have.

Military men have an answer for this. Russia's supply routes are far shorter than ours. Secretary Marshall has said, "Our greatest drain is in these long hauls we are involved in, and the fact that all our policy is built on fighting outside this country. . . . The Soviets have nothing like that at all." This is a geographical fact about which nothing can be done.

Moreover, there are certain great differences between the U. S. and Soviet forces which explain, to some extent at least, the heavy disparity in the relationship of service troops to fighting troops. For one thing, our forces employ more complex mechanical equipment, which naturally requires a great many men to maintain and repair it.

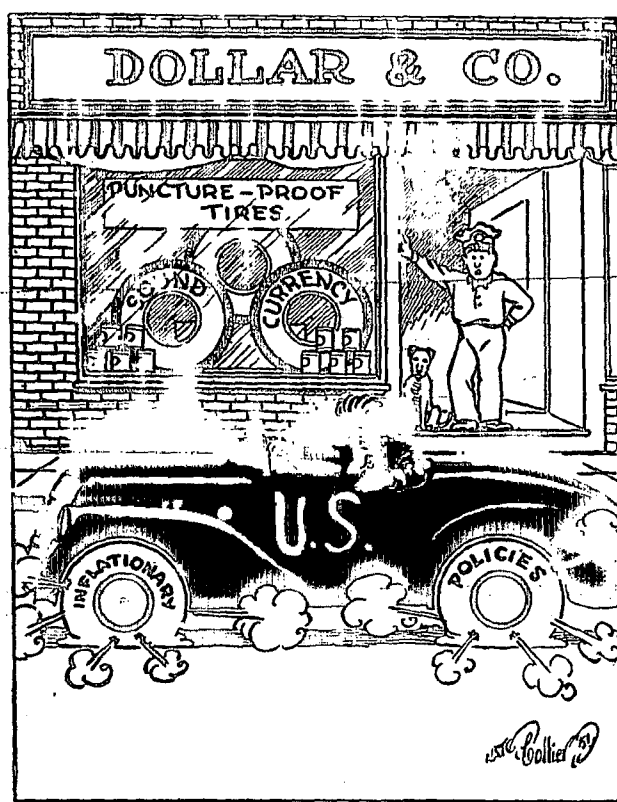
Too, by comparison with the Russian soldier, the American soldier is much better cared for, and lives a much more comfortable life. U. S. authorities have been informed, according to the U. S. News, that casualty and personnel records are not kept for Russian soldiers below the rank of captain. When one is killed or

wounded, that is the end of the matter, and the family never learns what happened from the government. By our standards, the Russian medical service is cruel and primitive. Apparently the seriously sick and wounded are simply regarded as a needless drain on the army and are left to die. The American army's record in this respect has been magnificent. The most strenuous efforts are given to rescuing those who are incapacitated, and 98.5 per cent of all who reach hospitals live.

So it goes, down a long list of differences. Even so, says U. S. News, "The upshot of it is likely to be that Congress will tell the generals they must squeeze more front-line troops from the man power they already have and the man power they expect to get."

This problem, of course, is just one phase of the general military man power problem. The present pool of draft eligibles will be pretty close to dry before very long. The army wants authority to draft 18-year-olds, but Congress, apparently disturbed by letters from the constituents, is chary of this. It also doesn't want to take veterans, even those of very short service. It wants many 4-F's to be inducted, but here the army is opposed. The Reserves are complaining of unfair treatment and discrimination, and this too, has awakened Congressional interest and sympathy. A firm solution to the man power issue—industrial as well as military—seems to lie well in the future.

"WANTA SWAP, SAM?"



Letters received from Kenneth Goshorn last week reported him at Flag Staff, Arizona. Monte Harmon and Kenneth depend on their Ford to carry them through.

48 Years Ago — March 2, 1905 John Nolan was laid up with the grippe for a couple of weeks, but is now back at the meat block doing business.

John Malco of Maple Forest was

a visitor at our sanctum the last of the week. As usual he is making the snow fly this winter with his lumbering operations.

Walmer Jorgenson's convalescing has so far advanced that he gets down to the store for a little while every day.

William Eyre has discontinued his restaurant business in the John Rasmussen building and Miss

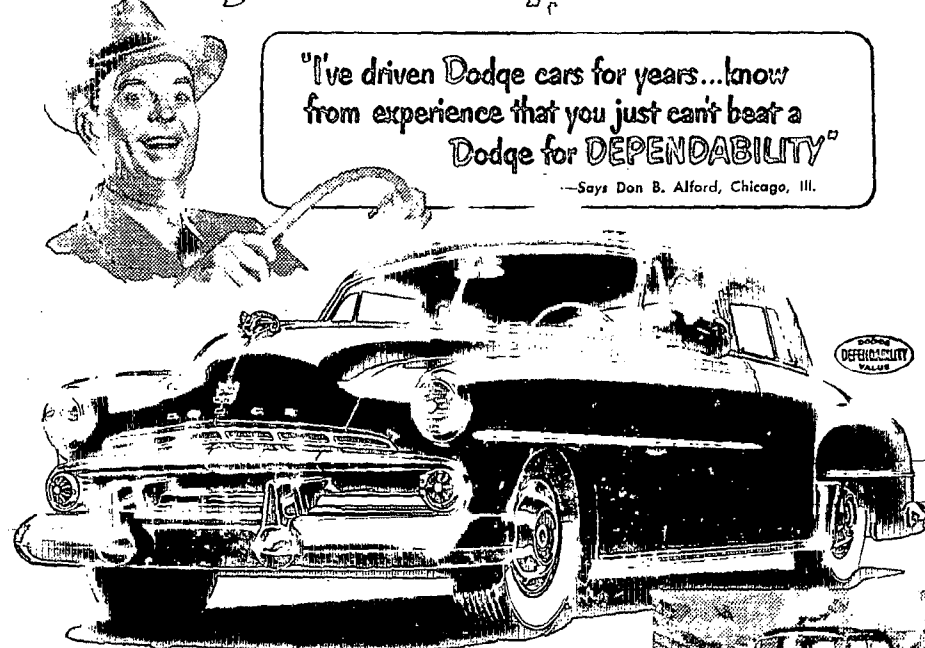
Horton has taken possession.

Born, Tuesday, February 28 to Mr. and Mrs. John Edwards, a son.

Thomas Woodfill of Jackson, one of our pioneers dropped in last Saturday.

Died at the residence of his mother in this village, Monday, February 27, 1905, Peter H. Larson, aged 34 years.

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— Starring —
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Color Cartoon

Late News

Sunday & Monday

"Grounds For
Marriage"

— Starring —
Van Johnson — Kathryn
Grayson

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Continuous From
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— Starring —
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Interesting Events In
Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE
FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

23 Years Ago — March 1, 1928

The property owners of the several townships of Crawford County will have occasion to rejoice upon receiving from County Treasurer William Ferguson the money from the State levied upon the forest reserve and swamp lands of the county \$7,040.32. The money is derived from the 25 cent per acre tax to be paid by the state upon such lands.

Little Ebbie Olson is recovering nicely from his recent illness.

George Schroeder has accepted a position in the Burke Garage and commenced his work Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Charles Gothro and Mrs. Victor Smith each took a car load of the local basketball girls to Boyne City Friday where they played that evening.

Mrs. C. G. Clippert has been honored by being invited to render a vocal solo before the State Bankers Convention that is being held in Ovid this week.

F. Trudeau will vacate the Frederic House the first of April.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Meyette and

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Coggins of Pinconning visited at the home of David Montour, Sunday.

Peter Lovely's camp has broken up as the timber has been cut.

Mrs. Agnes McDonald is visiting with her mother, Mrs. M. J. Inglis.

The snow is so deep between Frederic and Deward and the highway not being open, that the teams come from there in the night so as to come down the railroad track.

A baby daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Claude Parkinson last week.

Last Saturday morning the weather man just simply out did himself as the mercury dropped out of the thermometers and they would not register any lower than 47 below zero.

A great improvement in Lovells has been accomplished by having some of the old buildings torn down.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Leggett of Saginaw are the happy parents of a baby boy. The mother will be remembered as Miss Gertrude Topham.

GOOD — GUARANTEED

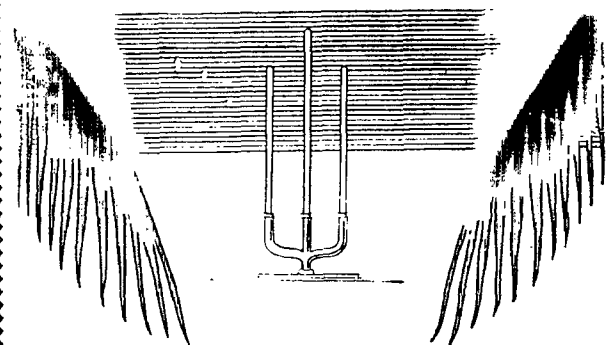


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Michigan Shows Traffic Death Increase Of 155 During 1950

The fast pace towards the mill-
ionth traffic death since 1900 was
speeded up last year by increases
in fatalities in Michigan and 42
other states — the largest number
to report an upward trend since
1948 — while only five states held
street and highway deaths below
their 1949 tolls, a survey by the
Association of Casualty and Sur-
vey Companies disclosed today.

Noting that this group of 43
states was more than three times
greater than the number which
reported bigger death tolls a year
ago, the Association's accident
prevention department warned
that "a tragic trend to more fat-
alities in all but a few states
threatens to eclipse new gains in
highway safety in 1951." Unless
most states reverse the trend this
year, declared Thomas N. Boate,
the Association's director of pub-
lic safety, "Victim X" — the mil-
lionth traffic fatality — will be
killed in about 10 months. Auto
deaths since 1900 now total about
968,000, he said.

Only 14 states reported greater
fatalities for the year 1949, Mr.
Boate pointed out. A year ago 32
states boasted fewer deaths in
1949, nearly seven times the ro-
ster of "honor states" for 1950. In
1948, 23 states had fewer deaths;
in 1947 there were 31, and in 1946
— the first full year of unrestricted
motor travel following World
War II — there were two. Twenty
one states reported more deaths
in 1948, he said, 17 in 1947 and 45
in 1946.

Michigan had 155 more deaths
in 1950 than in the previous year,
with 1,601 persons killed on its
streets and highways, compared to
1,446 in 1949. Traffic fatalities
in the state increased 11 per cent
which compares with an 11 per
cent average increase in the na-
tion for 1950, according to Na-
tional Safety Council statistics.
The national toll in 1950 was 35,
000 lives, against 31,500 in 1949.

Well over half of last year's
jump of 3,500 in traffic deaths

nationally was accounted for by
increases of more than 100 fatal-
ities in 11 states, aggregating
nearly 2,000 more deaths, the As-
sociation's study revealed. Four of
these states — Alabama, Florida,
Georgia and Mississippi — were
also among the 10 with the great-
est percentage increases in fatal-
ities last year, ranging from 25 to
44 per cent higher.

States in which traffic deaths
rose more than 100 last year were:

| | Rise in deaths | % increase over 1949 |
|-------------|-------------------|-------------------------|
| Texas | 454 | 24% |
| Alabama | 215 | 37 |
| Florida | 210 | 32 |
| Illinois | 187 | 10 |
| Georgia | 176 | 25 |
| Michigan | 155 | 11 |
| N. Carolina | 134 | 16 |
| Tennessee | 123 | 21 |
| S. Carolina | 121 | 22 |
| Virginia | 105 | 13 |
| Mississippi | 101 | 28 |

The 10 states ranked highest
percentage-wise with greater street
and highway tolls last year, com-
pared with 1949, and their in-
creased fatalities were:

| | % increase over 1949 | Rise in deaths |
|--------------|-------------------------|-------------------|
| Idaho | 44% | 73 |
| Alabama | 37 | 215 |
| Nevada | 37 | 30 |
| Rhode Island | 36 | 21 |
| S. Dakota | 35 | 46 |
| Florida | 32 | 210 |
| Connecticut | 30 | 60 |
| Mississippi | 28 | 101 |
| Montana | 27 | 44 |
| Georgia | 25 | 176 |

North Dakota, with 33 fewer
deaths and a 25 per cent drop in
traffic fatalities, led percentage-
wise the small group of states
which saved a total of 143 lives
last year, despite the general in-
crease in automobiles in use and
miles traveled. Tied for second
honors percentage-wise were
Pennsylvania and Oklahoma, each
with a 4 per cent drop, reporting
68 and 22 fewer deaths, respec-
tively. Minnesota had a 3 per cent
decrease, with 15 fewer deaths,
and Arkansas five fewer, a 1 per
cent decline.

In 38 of the 43 states reporting
more fatalities last year, Mr. Bo-
ate said, deaths in automobile ac-
cidents increased in relation to
population. On a mileage basis,
20 of these states also had more
deaths than in 1949.

LEGAL NOTICES

Office will be open from 8 A.M.
to 8 P.M. Tuesday, March 13,
1951 for Registration.

Board of Review will meet on
Tuesday March 6 at the Council
room and on Monday and Tues-
day March 12-13 until Assessment
Roll is completed.

Anyone wishing to look over
their assessment and valuation
should appear before the Board
of Review on these dates. 1-8
Max Davenport,
City Clerk

LEGAL NOTICES

Lovells Twp. Board of Review
will meet on March 6 and 7, 13th
and 14th at the home of Joseph
Gardoppe for the purpose of re-
viewing the tax roll. Hours 9 to
12 and 1 to 4.

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their assessment and valuation
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of Review on these dates. 1-8
Ray Duby, Clerk

Public Notice

To the qualified electors of Bea-
ver Creek Township, County of
Crawford, Michigan notice is
hereby given:

There will be a Republican Cau-
cus held at the Beaver Creek
Town Hall in Beaver Creek at 7
P.M., Tuesday, March 6 E.S.T. for
the purpose of placing in nomi-
nation candidates for township of-
fices and for any such other busi-
ness that may legally come be-
fore said caucus.

By Order of
Robert Ferguson
Beaver Creek Township Clerk



Gov. Williams who has been
waiting since Jan. 5 for adminis-
tration bills in the legislature per-
haps has made his move. Aides
reported nothing had been done
on the financial problem or the
mental hospital situation. "Soon
we 'Democrats' will start dump-
ing in our own bills," they said.

Suddenly the long-awaited four
percent corporations tax bill came
out of the brush. It was intro-
duced by Rep. Walter N. Hill of Mus-
kegon; yes he is a Democrat.

However some bi-partisan leg-
islation has been introduced. A
fair employment practices bill has
come in and the proposed amend-
ment for annual sessions will be
on the ballot April 2. The admin-
istration favors both of these
moves.

But the governor now is wrapp-
ed up in long range civil defense.
He is sharply interested in the St.
Lawrence river seaway. The U. S.
might be forced in case of all-out
war to use Labrador and South
American iron ore. Without a sea-
way this supply would be unav-
ailable to Michigan except at
great expense.

Destruction of the Sault locks
would cut the state's vital indus-
tries off from their raw materials.
The Mesabi range still is produc-
ing — but complete war might ex-
haust this reservoir. Any of these
things could cause industry to
move east.

A civil defense production coun-
cil has met and agreed on a sur-
vey of existing facilities in Michi-
gan for war and defense con-
tracts. Also it recommends a
Michigan office in Washington to
keep state manufacturers inform-
ed of defense needs. The sum of
\$58,000 will be needed to complete
this fiscal year program.

The governor told the council
he would work on the plan on his
next Washington trip.

He promised also to investigate
possible federal funds for the pro-
posed Mackinac bridge. A plan
has been submitted by the Mack-
inac Bridge Authority which is
considered feasible financially and
structurally. Another report will
be made in May.

Abolition of the Michigan Un-
employment Compensation Com-
mission has been recommended by
its own commission chairman.
Tom Downs says the agency
should be put under one head;
"the four-man commission occu-
pies itself with too much admin-
istrative details and ignores pol-
icy-making." The change would
put the agency under more direct
control of the governor.

In addition to the question of
annual sessions (instead of one
regular session with the governor
calling special sessions) Michigan
voters will decide on two other

amendments at election time
These would provide: A \$500
death benefit to heirs of service-
men killed in the Korean war and
\$3,000 pay raises for the six state
supreme court judges.

Sen. Charles R. Feenstra (R-
Grand Rapids) has sponsored a
bill making it a misdemeanor to
hire a migrant worker who has
not a health certificate stating the
laborer is free from tuberculosis.

Barring total war, there will be
gasoline aplenty next summer, ac-
cording to oil company heads.
They predict ration-free fuel of
the same octane as now, being
marketed.

Meanwhile the state highway
department — now spread all
over Lansing — looks to an in-
creased gasoline tax to boost
dwindling road repair funds.

Purchase of 2,471 acres suitable
for blocking in two wildlife pro-
ject areas and expanding 10 es-
tablished state game areas has
state conservation approval. Total
cost will be \$71,874.

Sen. Arthur H. Vandenberg's
announcement that he will re-
sume his duties in Washington
soon again brings up the question
of his 1952 retirement. Gov. Wil-
liams remains silent on his possi-
ble candidacy, stating only that
he thinks he has "the finest job
in Michigan right now" and plans
to concentrate on it. If Vanden-
berg resigns in 1951, former Gov-
ernor Murray D. VanWageningen
may get the Williams appoint-
ment.

The fire which drove 18 bur-
caus and agencies out of the rab-
bit warren of the state office
building is all but forgotten — ex-
cept by the legislature and the
state employees who now are lo-
cated in 60 sites in Lansing —
some even in quonset huts at
Michigan State College. State of-
fices in private buildings at Lan-
sing now cost taxpayers \$300,000
a year rentals.

WHEN MOTHERS FACE JUDGMENT

Do past indiscretions make a
woman an unfit mother? What
is the just real standard for
measuring a mother's fitness?

Be sure to read "When Mothers
Face Judgment," a dramatic
article about child custody cases,
in this Sunday's (March 4) issue of
The American Weekly, famous
real-life magazine, exclusively
with The Detroit Sunday Times.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Grayling Township Board of Review meets at the
Grayling Township Hall on Tuesday, March 6 and
Wednesday, March 7 and on Monday, March 19th,
and Tuesday, March 20, 1951.

Hours. 900 A. M. to 4:00 P. M. each day, for re-
viewing and making adjustments of tax roll.

By order of Dan C. Babbitt,
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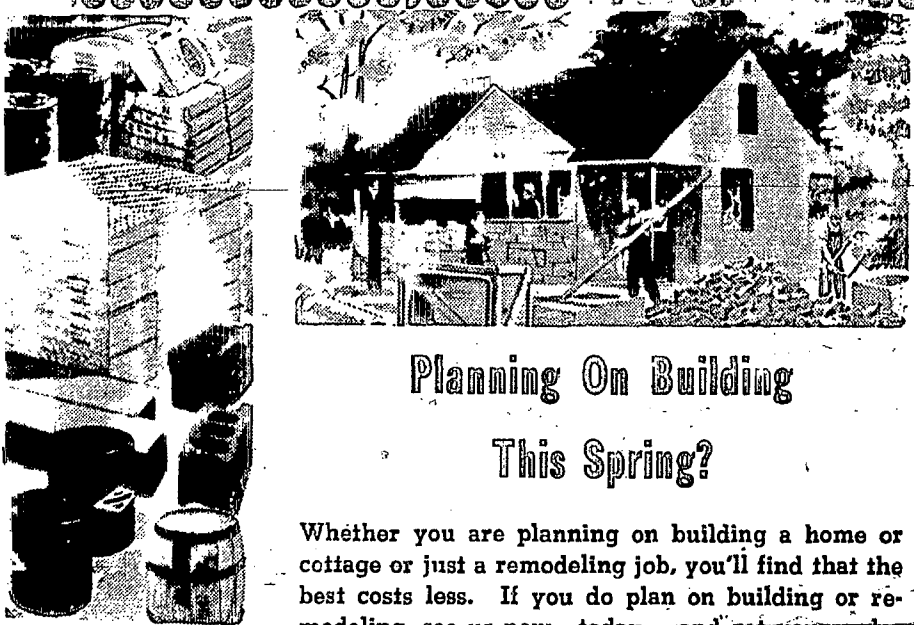
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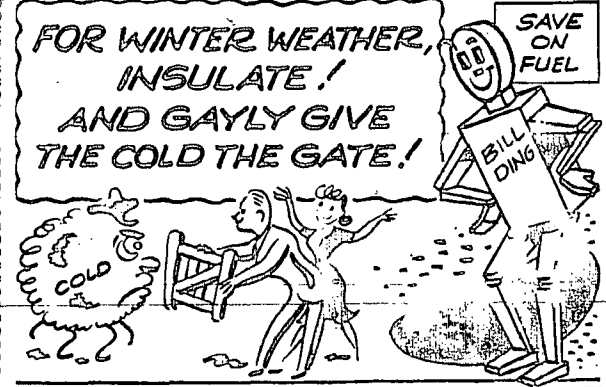
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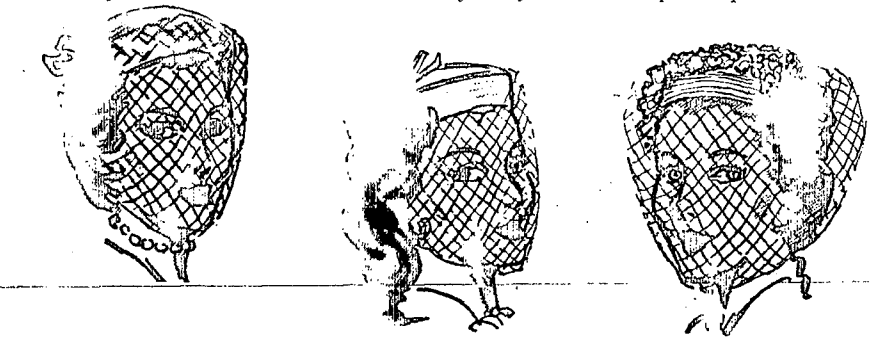


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Bits O' Talk

Alfred Hanson returned home Thursday from a business trip to South Bend, Indiana.

For better vision see Dr. Glover at Shoppenagons Inn on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays each month.

Ronald Wood son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wood of Midland, Explorer Scout, received the Ranger Award, the highest rank in Senior Scouting recently. The presentation was made by Kay Nagle.

The Alma College Drama Club will present "Lost Horizon," based on a novel by James Hilton, April 12 and 13 in the Alma College Little Theatre.

The play is under the direction of Mr. Henry Klomp, and included in the cast will be Gloria Moore of Grayling.

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Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stump and children of Cadillac were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hedricks at Lake Margrethe.

Mrs. William MacNeven is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reynolds in Midland.

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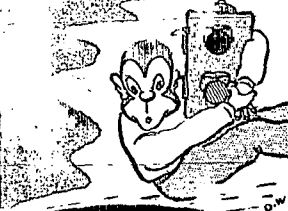
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4-H To Sponsor Public Speaking Contest

A new contest in public speaking was started last year for 4-H Club members. The experience a club member can gain and the awards that are given winners make this contest especially valuable.

Gold medals are offered to the first place boy and girl in each county. The first place boy and girl in the Grayling Camp area get trips to the State 4-H Club Show. The State winners receive a gold watch for the boy and a 32 piece set of silver for the girl.

The speech may be based on 4-H Club work, rural living, Americanism, etc. The choice of subject is up to the individual. Club members interested in this contest should contact the County Extension office for full details.

Now is the time to start preparing your speech.

Earl Wood Cited As Oldest Safest Driver

Earl E. Wood was cited as being the oldest safest driver in Midland County at a dinner given recently at the Midland County Club.

Under the auspices of the Midland County Safety Committee, the dinner was given by the Automobile Club of Michigan for the committee's second annual meeting.

Wood who will be 56 in March, has driven cars since Sept. 18, 1911. That day, for the first time in his life, he got behind the wheel of a Packard and drove it down the streets of Bay City. Since that time he has owned probably a dozen cars and has never "even scratched a fender."

He has taught his wife, son and daughter how to drive and his car has been involved in two minor accidents, one with his wife in the drivers seat and the other with his son at the wheel.

"I always figure the other fellow doesn't know how to drive," he commented. He attributes his successful driving career to just plain "good luck."

LAKE MARGRETHE HOME EXTENSION GROUP

Lake Margrethe Ex. Group met Wednesday, Feb. 21 with Mrs. Carlyle Brown for 1:00 o'clock Desert.

A short business meeting was held with nine (9) members responding to roll call. After which Lesson No. 1 on "Pattern Alteration" was given by the leaders; Mrs. Sam Colten and Mrs. Brown.

The contest concluded the afternoon.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. John McMillan on March 14.

State Intangible Tax Due On March 31

The Michigan Intangible Tax return is due and payable on March 31, the Department of Revenue announced today. This tax covers all corporate stocks, both foreign and domestic, bank accounts, mortgages, and contracts and postal savings. The tax on bank accounts in the Grayling State Savings Bank is being absorbed by the bank.

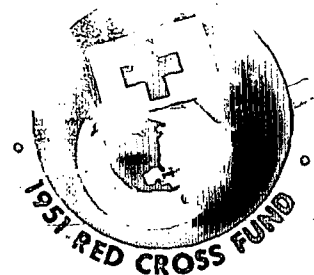
United States bonds and war bonds are exempt from the tax. Anyone wishing an appointment with a Department of Revenue representative to talk over the tax or aid in preparing a tax return form should write to the Michigan Department of Revenue, 118 E. Front Street, Traverse City, or phone Traverse City 386.



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installed the new Copperheat forced hot water heating system in the Jorgenson house. They are remodeling their new home. This heating system was installed by B-C-D Co.

Starting March 3, every Sat. eve. will be game night, Legion Hall basement, 8:00 P. M.

Herbert Feldhauser of the B-C-D Co., is attending the Timkin Furnace school in Jackson, this week.

The S. O. S. Shoe Repair will close on March 3 until further notice. Work left after that date can be called for at side door.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Martindale and children, Susan and Jay of Alpena were Sunday guests at the E. N. Darveau home.

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Bruce LaChapelle returned to his duties with the U. S. Navy in San Francisco, Sunday, after spending four days with his mother, Mrs. Calvin Church, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Smith are spending some time in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scott and family spent the week end in Detroit visiting relatives.

Floyd Davis attended the Michigan Amateur Radio Ham Convention in Grand Rapids, Saturday.

Mrs. Ted Thompson returned home Saturday, after spending several days in Lansing, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Clark.

Twenty-three members of Club 30 Detroit spent the week end here stopping at Shoppensons Inn.

There were also four young ladies at the Inn for the week end who were on a Greyhound bus tour.

They all said they had a good time and would be back again even though the weather did disappoint them and there couldn't be much winter sports.

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More ladies shoes have been added to the \$2.95 rack at Olson's.

Week end guests at the Henry Bradley home were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Westerholm and son, Eric, of Lakewood, Ohio.

Tommy Perry was nine years old Tuesday, February 20 and invited twelve of his little friends to his home after school to enjoy ice cream and cake.

Any business place interested in cleaning agency please call at S. O. S. Shoe Repair or Phone 4261.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tracy returned home Sunday after spending two weeks in Hollywood, Florida.

Miss Rhoda Jean Miller of M. S. C., East Lansing, is expected on Friday evening to spend the week end with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Welsh. Ralph Parks of Cheboygan will be a guest Friday night.

Ten ladies dropped in on Mrs. Jess Sales last Friday afternoon to help her celebrate her birthday anniversary. The time was spent visiting, after which a delicious lunch was enjoyed. In the evening members of the family enjoyed supper at the Sales home, after which cards were played.

Miss Christine Sales of Michigan State College spent the week end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Sales.

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Mrs. Frank Barney of Lewiston is spending a few days in Grayling, as Mr. Barney is a patient at Mercy Hospital.

The Lutheran Senior Aid met at the home of Mrs. Hansine Hanson last Thursday afternoon for their regular meeting. A donation of \$5.00 was voted for the March of Dimes Fund. This being also the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Hanson, a large birthday cake and ivory candles in crystal holders graced the luncheon table. Mrs. Chris Freiberg of Gaylord was an out of town guest.

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Grayling friends of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Creque of Holly, have been receiving cards from Lake Worth, Florida, where they are spending a month or so vacationing.

Members of the family of Mrs. Hansine Hanson enjoyed Sunday evening supper together in celebration of Mrs. Hanson's birthday anniversary, which occurred on the 22nd.

Shoes and cleaning left at S. O. S. Repair should be called for by March 3. After that date call at side door. Phone 4261.

Clement Blaine was in Bay City and Saginaw Thursday on business.

Earl Gierke spent the week end in Detroit visiting his mother, Mrs. A. E. Gierke, who is spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Leo Jeambert.

Mrs. Raymond Crabtree underwent surgery at Mercy Hospital recently.

Frank Barney of Lewiston is a patient at Mercy Hospital. Mrs. Ward Strone of Akron, Ohio, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Barney.

Mrs. Wesley Kumpula spent the week end in Detroit visiting her sister and family.

Miss Wanda Mikrut visited her parents in Detroit the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tetu of West Branch were here Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bousson and other relatives.

Folks were quite startled Tuesday morning to see a deer running up the alley pursued by two dogs.

Mrs. Wilfred Laurent spent the week end in W. Ford visiting

her brother and family, the R. J. Sheehys.

Mrs. K. K. Kitchen was hostess to her bridge club Friday afternoon. Mrs. Harry Souder was a guest.

Charles M. Hewitt, 75, retired Michigan Central Railroad employee, passed away in Bay City recently. He was a former Grayling resident.

R. L. D. S. Church News

The Up and Atom Circle met at the home of Mrs. Norval Stephan Thursday, February 22nd at noon for lunch. The committee served lunch to 22 members and guests.

These acting on committee besides Mrs. Stephan were Mrs. Ernest Low, Mrs. John Knecht and Mrs. Earl Mathewson.

The regular meeting was called to order at 1:30. Each group is progressing very nicely with their money making project. Mrs. Dan Babbitt held a bake sale Saturday with members of the Down River group helping with the baked goods.

The next meeting will be at Mrs. Low's, March 6th.

Tressa Stephan, Sec.

Eldorado News

Mrs. Robert Lozon of Milford spent last week at the home of her mother, Mrs. Conrad Wehnes, and

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lake and children of Flint spent the week end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gardoppe.

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St. Francis Episcopal Guild Notes

The St. Francis Episcopal Guild met February 7 at the home of Mrs. Hurl Deckrow. Reports were given by Mrs. Emil Niererer and Mrs. Robert Welsh on the activities of the 18th Annual Convention of Women, held in connection with the 118th Annual Convention of the Diocese of Michigan.

Mrs. E. N. Darveau was the

hostess for the January 23rd meeting with Mrs. Hurl Deckrow leading the devotion period.

Mrs. Emil Niererer was the hostess for the February 20 meeting. Plans were discussed for the visit of Mr. Warner L. Forsyth, canon missionary of East Tawas on Wednesday evening, February 28 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Niererer.

The Guild will meet next Tuesday, March 6, with Mrs. Robert Phillips as hostess. Business meeting will start at 1:30.

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ASPARAGUS CUTS . 41c
ASPARAGUS Spears 49c
French Gr. Beans . 25c
Baby Lima Beans . 33c
Ford Hook Limas . 30c
BROCCOLI . 35c
CORN ON COB . 23c
BRUSSELS SPROUTS 37c
PEAS, 8 oz. . 19c
FRENCH FRIES . 22c
H. Brown Potatoes . 19c
SPINACH . 25c
SQUASH . 23c

FARM CREST
DANISH COFFEE
CAKE 29c

OLD HOME
HOT CROSS ROLLS
19c package

A BLACK & WHITE
BUDGET SAVER
Old Home

DONUTS
Plain or Powdered
24c dozen

A BLACK & WHITE
BUDGET SAVER

Snow Crop
FROZEN

Raspberries
24c package

ORANGE JUICE
2 for 35c

BLEND JUICE
2 for 47c

A BLACK & WHITE
BUDGET SAVER

Bon Ton

BREAD
16c 20 oz. loaf

SUNSHINE

HI HO . . . lb. 33c
KRISPIES . . . lb. 27c
OYS. CRACKERS lb. 27c
CHOCOLATE PUFFS, 27c

ANIMAL
CRACKERS 35c lb.

Light and Dark

TUNA
FISH 19c

Ship Ahoy
PINK
SALMON 59c

No Sales to Dealers - Quantities Limited

BLACK OLEO, 29c

AND
WHITE
GROCERY

PRODUCE

CAULIFLOWER . 39c
Brussels Sprouts . 39c
BROCCOLI . 39c
RADISHES . 3 for 10c
Green ONIONS 2 for 9c
SPINACH, bag . 33c
TOSS SALAD, pkg. 23c
CARROTS, cello . 19c
Apples, Meln., pk. 39c
BANANAS, 2 lbs. 39c
Grapefruit, 3-19c

A BLACK & WHITE
BUDGET SAVER

Solid

CABBAGE
6c lb.

Good Hope

King's Taste 3 pound tin
Shortening 98c

A BLACK & WHITE
BUDGET SAVER

Famo

PANCAKE
FLOUR
39c 5 lb. sack

Pillsbury

WHITE CAKE MIX . 37c
CHOCOLATE CAKE . 37c
HOT ROLL MIX . 29c

Swansdown
CAKE FLOWER . 43c
BISQUICK, lg. . 49c

B. & M.
BROWN BREAD . 23c

Complete Buffet Line
Small Times

for
Small Families

GREEN BEANS, 2 for 29c
WAX BEANS . 2 for 29c
PEAS . 2 for 29c
WK. CORN . 2 for 23c
CS. CORN . 2 for 27c
BEETS . 2 for 19c
ASPARAGUS TIPS . 32c
Roy. Ann Cherries, 2-35c
APRICOTS . 2 for 29c
PEACHES . 2 for 29c
Fruit COCKTAIL 2 for 29c
PINEAPPLE . 19c

HUNTER'S
ICE CREAM
PT. 29c

Marshmallow
TOPPING
19c

A BLACK & WHITE
BUDGET SAVER

Sweetos

SYRUP
19c jar

New York Dressed

Frying CHICKEN lb. 39c

STRETCH & SE
MEATS

ARMOUR'S

SLICED BACON, lb. 39c

FRESH

PIGS FEET, lb. 9c

TENDER

OCEAN PERCH lb. 47c CLUB STEAKS, lb. 69c